

WEATHER—Cloudy and colder tonight. Probably rain near Lake Erie. Thursday partly cloudy. Colder in east portion.
Maximum temperature, today, 68, at 2 p.m.; minimum, 57, at 9 a.m.

THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR

ANTI-WAR UNION ORGANIZED

Body With 10,000 Members is Formed in Germany

REFUSE AID IN ANY MANNER

Pledge Taken Against Production of Fighting Material

PHILADELPHIA — (By Associated Press) — Conscientious objectors to war service in Germany have formed a union with more than 10,000 members, each of whom has signed a pledge that they will neither take up arms, produce war material, give money nor aid in any way in what they characterize as the "organized murder of subjects or other countries or of our own countrymen."

This information comes from Howard H. Brinton, a member of the Society of Friends from West Chester, Pa., who recently attended a public meeting in Berlin held under the auspices of the "German Union of Objectors to War Service." NUMBERS SURPRISE

"I expected to find a dozen or so long-haired persons sitting about a table, and instead found a hall, jammed to the doors with about 300 people, the air tense with suppressed enthusiasm," said Mr. Brinton.

One of the speakers said the organization was formed by German war prisoners in England after they were permitted to return to Germany.

A student who was a speaker at the meeting, declared that there was great need in the universities for a spiritual awakening, since the old military party was still strong there and demanded revenge on the enemy.

EGOISM MUST GO

Another speaker said that the Germans who had permitted themselves to be driven into this war had brains that were nothing but sour poured into their heads by others. "Militarism, mammonism, egoism and all that goes with the Wilhelm idea must disappear," he said.

De. Helene Stoeger, of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, said that the education supplied by the German state is drill, not education. "Instead of bringing hidden qualities to the surface, it hammers lies into the brain," she said. "If the educated are taught only how to exploit humanity, it were better that mankind remain as ignorant as the Russian peasant."

LURE OF CLOTHES CAUSES THEFTS

Girls Admit Taking Merchandise From Lima Stores

The fact that she was left an orphan by the death of her mother when she was not quite three years old and the death of her father when she was eleven and had no guiding home influence, is blamed by Gladys Pepple, 18, for her leading a crooked life.

Gladys was arrested with May Kelly, 18, of 1129 S. Central-ave., charged with shop lifting. It is alleged during the past several weeks that they stole goods valued at over \$300 from downtown department stores.

When arraigned in criminal court Wednesday both pleaded guilty to the charges and were bound over to the grand jury.

"This is terrible," Gladys declared as she and the other girl told their story.

"I have just been drifting around all of my life, trying to live decently and look where I have landed.

"Other girls had pretty clothes, and I craved them. That, I guess, is the reason why I stole all of these pretty things."

Both said they were married but did not know the whereabouts of their husbands.

"My husband left me last October. He treated me badly. I had to work and help buy the groceries and pay our room rent. I have never had a home," Gladys said.

She broke down and sobbed as she continued her story of wrestling with the world.

"I am thru. Never again will I touch an article that doesn't belong to me. They might as well send me up for life, for if they do let me go I will still have to drift around and have no home, nobody to love, no person to care a rap about me.

"I stole these things, and I have told all. When I was stealing them I seemed unconscious of what I was doing.

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HINTS ON HEALTH ON THE EDITORIAL PAGE TODAY

PRICE THREE CENTS

ROUSH TO GET TRIAL

O. J. Roush, ousted police chief, will have a hearing before the municipal civil service commission in the city council chamber at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, it was announced definitely by the commission Wednesday following an informal conference.

This decision was made in the face of Mayor F. A. Burkhardt's announcement that the state civil service commission had informed him that Roush had no appeal from his 30-day suspension for disciplinary purposes. The opinion was given Mayor Burkhardt and City Solicitor Garling Tuesday while they were in Columbus. The mayor asked the Attorney General for an

opinion but was referred to the state civil service commission, he said.

"I think Mayor Burkhardt is guilty of discourtesy to us," said F. W. Durbin, member of the local commission, Wednesday. "Why did he go to the state commission for an opinion before he came to us with his charges on which to base suspension of Roush? The state commission cannot dictate what the local commission shall do."

There is no doubt in the minds of those familiar with the situation that the case will eventually get into common pleas court, for should the commission reinstate Roush the mayor will appeal to common pleas court, and should the commission up-

hold the mayor, Roush will appeal.

At the request of the mayor thru Councilmen Tarvin and Jones, a council meeting has been called for Wednesday night for consideration of appropriations for law enforcement.

Councilmen say that they do not intend to discuss the matter of the suspension of Roush and will not allow themselves to become involved in the matter.

The usual course in case Roush is found not guilty before the commission is for it to order his reinstatement at once.

Much interest is being shown in the case and it is expected that the council chamber will be packed with interested persons when the trial opens Thursday morning.

GIRL IS SHOT AS CROWD GASPS

Young Woman Enacts Tragedy Amid Thousands in Chicago

THEN TURNS GUN ON SELF

Man Kills Another Following Night of Revelry

CHICAGO — (By United Press) — One girl pulled a revolver out of her hand bag and shot down another girl on a downtown platform of the elevated lines today in full view of thousands of persons hurrying to work.

Catherine Davis, 31, had just left her train and was headed toward the steps leading to Madison-st. A girl whose only known name is Jeanette, rushed from behind a post, pulled a revolver from her hand bag and fired two shots in the side of Miss Davis.

Miss Davis dropped to the platform in a heap and bled profusely. Spectators, awed by Jeanette, who was swinging her pistol, rushed back toward the elevated tracks.

They heard Jeanette scream "I'm satisfied—I got her."

Jeanette then rushed toward the stairs.

More shots added to the panic and Jeanette dropped. She had fired two shots into her own body.

Train guards rushed from their posts of duty.

Police officers jumped from elevated trains that stopped and others clambered up the stairs from patrol and traffic duty.

Both girls were rushed to a hospital. They will die, attendants said.

MAN IS SLAIN

CHICAGO — (By United Press) — A night of revelry preceding the funeral of their father, Charles D. Bingham, caused the death early today of one of three brothers who died after being hit by a taxi driver, according to Detective Sergeant Hughes.

Three brothers, John, Charles and Harry Bingham, an official of the Charcoal Iron Company, Detroit, fought in a taxi, breaking a window, police said.

The driver, Edward Siegel, drove up in front of a police station. At this point, police said, John Bingham started fighting with Siegel who hit Bingham in the jaw, killing him.

Siegel is being held for investigation.

The elder Bingham's funeral will be held today.

D. T. & I. SPEEDS UP

Faster Running Time Will Become Effective Sunday

WET GOODS ATTACHED TO PAPERS IN COURT

Peter Oper and John Barzo, Romanians arrested in Perry-ip by Sheriff Baxter and found with a still in their possession, have appealed their case to common pleas court.

Oper and Barzo were fined \$1,000 each in Justice Botkin's court for having liquor in their possession.

Attached to the bill of exceptions which Justice Botkin signed were two bottles of the liquor found in possession of the foreigners and which was analyzed by a chemist.

SALES TAX URGED

Repeal of all excise taxes and substitution of an equitable sales tax was urged by the National Jewelers Board of Trade. The Chicago Association of Commerce suggested a court of tax appeals to be provided by congress and appointed by the president.

The convention proper was urged by various speakers to take up the country's housing problem and attempt a solution. President Deffees said that the country is 1,250,000 dwellings short of its pre-war ratio and that the situation has become one of the most critical of our domestic problems.

CHARACTERS IN THE STORY

SANDORN, young cowboy.

HOOPER, the "killer."

RAMON and ANDREAS, Hooper's Mexican "right and left hand."

MISS EMORY, daughter and heiress of Hooper's late partner.

ARTIE BROWER, ex-jockey for Hooper.

TIM WESTMORE, groom for Hooper.

BUCK JOHNSON, owner of Box Springs ranch.

JED PARKER, WINDY BILL and CURLEY, employees of Johnson.

TOM THORNE, sheriff.

I WANT to state right at the start that I am writing this story twenty years after it happened solely because my wife and Senor Buck Johnson insist on it. I was a kid and didn't know any better than to do such things. They dared me to go up to Hooper's ranch and stay all night.

But I hadn't racked along more than two miles before a man cantered up, one of our outfit known as Windy Bill. Nut said—

"Hear you're goin' up to stay the night at Hooper's," said he. "Know Hooper?"

"No," said I.

"Know about Hooper's boomerang?"

"Boomerang!" I replied.

"You know how of course we all let each other's strays water at our troughs in this country, and send 'em back to their own range at round up. Well, old Hooper built him a chute leading to the water corral, and when any cattle—but those of his own brands came along, he had a man swing a gate and they landed up into a dry corral. By and by he let them out on the range again."

"Without water?"

"Till they died, or we came along and drove them back home. I've seen little calves lyin' in heaps against the fence like drifts of tumbleweed. I don't why he ain't been shot, but he ain't. And if I was you, I'd stick him."

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GERMAN NOTE MAY SPLIT ENTENTE

DIVIDEND REDUCED BY PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

PHILADELPHIA.—The Pennsylvania Railroad company today reduced its quarterly dividend to one per cent.

The decrease is a quarterly reduction of one half per cent. This is the first time in 22 years the Pennsylvania has reduced the annual dividend basis below six per cent. Since 1899 it has paid six per cent annually with the exception of 1906 when it paid 6 1/2 and in 1907 when it returned seven per cent. For seven years prior to 1899, the dividends were five per cent.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — (By Associated Press) — Revision of the tariff laws, foreign trade, the nation's immigrant and housing problems and remedial measures for the industrial

4,000 BUSINESS MEN CONVENE

U. S. C. of C. Opens Convention at Atlantic City

TRADE PROBLEMS FACED

Anti-Trust Law Revision Among Matters Taken Up

10,000 EMPLOYEES BUY STOCK

Akron Concern Also Makes Big Production Increase

AKRON.—(By Associated Press)

Substantial indication of returning prosperity and improved conditions for the world's rubber manufacturing center was contained in the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company's announcement today that every one of its approximately 10,000 employees had become stockholders, voluntarily oversubscribing a special offer of stock by 50 per cent, within 12 years. There are now nearly 45,000 shares of the company's common stock held by employees.

Coincident with the stockholding announcement came the information that the Firestone company was making plans to increase its production to 20,000 tires a day in May. The Firestone factories have taken on more than 2,000 men in the last few weeks and since March have increased their production 50 per cent, reaching an output of 15,000 tires a day during the past month.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. — (By Associated Press) — Introduction of a woman in the role of a milliner known as "Made Estelle," was charged by Mrs. V. L. Stokes from the witness stand today as "a part of the frameup against her in her husband's suit for divorce."

In her testimony yesterday, Mrs. Stokes had told of a "Madame Estelle" who had a millinery establishment in her husband's hotel, the Stokes, and whom she said, "was his mistress."

At the start of cross-examination—her fourth day on the stand—counsel for Stokes asked her if she would recognize "Madame Estelle."

"Certainly," she replied.

At this juncture, a short dark woman came from the back of the room and took a seat behind Stokes.

"Is this the woman?" the witness was asked.

"No," she replied.

"Don't you know that this is Mrs. Rosenberg, known as 'Madame Estelle,' who had a millinery shop in the Ansonia hotel for years?"

"You are just trying to induce me to make a false identification. It is just a part of the frameup against me."

Mrs. Stokes was questioned about her diary for 1911, the year she was married. She was asked why she had so few entries.

"A woman usually puts in her diary the pleasant things she wishes to remember," she replied.

"There were few entries because I never had a happy day with Mr. Stokes after I married him."

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SHOOTS SELF AT CHURCH ALTAR

Jilted Young Man Attempts Suicide at Columbus

COLUMBUS — (By Associated Press) — Kneeling at the altar in the chapel of Trinity Episcopal church here today, Walter S. Schmidt, aged 20 shot himself above the heart in an attempt at suicide.

He was rushed to a hospital where he was said to be in a dying condition.

Beside the altar, lay a prayer book opened at the 24th psalm, and beside it, the smoking revolver Schmidt tried to kill himself with.

The bullet, fire from a .32 caliber automatic revolver, passed entirely thru his body, piercing his left lung.

Recent differences with his sweetheart, and the refusal of her father to permit him to further see her was said to be the immediate cause for his act.

Schmidt served with the fifteenth cavalry over seas. He was a student at an art school here.

PRESIDENT HARDING TO REVIEW ATLANTIC FLEET

WASHINGTON — Acting for the first time as commander-in-chief of the navy, President Harding leaves for Hampton Roads to review the Atlantic fleet as it returns from the Guantanamo maneuvers tomorrow.

The world-wide agitation for disarmament and the present fight over naval building appropriations in congress, gave the president's trip greater significance than that attached to mere spectacular ceremony.

What Harding sees of the fleet and hears from its officers may influence the naval policy of his administration. He may address officers of the fleet. If he does his words will be scanned both at home and abroad for a possible indication of his naval policy.

RUNAWAY YOUTHS ARE CAPTURED BY POLICE

LONGBRANCH, N. J. — Ruth White, 14, Garrett Disbrow, 16, and Bradford Ziegler, 15, high school students whose mystery trip in an automobile from Longbranch Friday ended last night with their detention as Haddenfield were returned here today.

The three were taken to the police station by Chief Detective Joseph McGarvey, who drove to Haddenfield when notified of their arrest, and returned with the truants in his automobile. With police and boy scouts of many eastern cities enlisted in the search for the trio they were taken into custody by George Baader, Haddenfield chief of police, who became suspicious when they attempted to purchase gasoline and an inner tube from a garage on credit.

See us for good potatoes—Piper's.

YOUNG MAN ARRESTED SOON AFTER REPORT IS MADE BY C. C. APPROVES OF GRAND JURY—FIVE INDICTED

The Allen-co grand jury report had been made only a short time when one of the persons, secretly indicted, was in the toils.

Omer Ross, living near Elida, against whom an indictment was brought on the charge of rape, was arrested. Miss Margaret Lease was the complaining witness to the grand jury. She resides in the neighborhood in which Ross lives.

Ross and his father, a farmer, accompanied Deputy Sheriff S. A. Dotson to Lima, where bail in the sum of \$500 was arranged.

The other secret indictment is said to be for non-support.

Besides the two secret indictments returned by the grand jury, three public indictments were brought in. An indictment for burglary and one for robbery was brought against Stephen Schlueter and Samuel Tilton, charged with attacking John Wakeman, nightwatchman at Delphos. Lawrence Lowe was indicted on a charge of burglary.

RAIL RATES HOLD

Freight Charges Declared Lawful by Commission

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — Freight rates from points of origin east of the Rocky Mountains to the Intermountain territory were found by the Interstate commerce commission to be not unreasonable unduly prejudicial or otherwise unlawful. Complaints by shippers and others were dismissed.

The complaint was made against the maintenance of approximately the same rates between eastern points and intermountain territory as between the east and the Pacific coast, the complainants seeking to have rates to the mountain points graded according to distance with the rates to the coast as a working basis.

JAPANESE OFFICER COMMITS SUICIDE

TOKIO — (By Associated Press) — Lieutenant General Saizo, commander-in-chief of the eleventh Japanese division at Vladivostok, committed suicide on Monday, his death being a sequel to the shooting of naval Lieutenant W. H. Langdon in that city early in January, says the Hochi Shimbun of this city. General Saizo is said to have either held himself responsible for the death of Lieutenant Langdon, or to have been irritated by what he believed was the weakness of the Japanese government in dealing with the incident.

Lieutenant Langdon was shot and killed by Toshigoro Ogasawara, a sonny, who was later tried before a court-martial and was found not guilty. He was however sentenced to one month's imprisonment for making false statements, and his dues.

C. C. APPROVES OF STOCK SALE

BABY CHICKS, ONE DAY OLD, MAKE 2,000-MILE TRIP BY PARCEL POST

Twenty-five one-day-old chicks made a 2,000-mile trip from Lima to Spokane, Wash., via parcel post, arriving in good condition without a single casualty according to word received from Spokane by Charles Long of the Long Chick Hatchery, Wednesday.

Long has hatched 50,000 chicks so far this year and has shipped more than half of these to points all over the country, but the shipment to Spokane is the longest on record. The firm that received the 25 has ordered a shipment of 1,000 chicks.

The chicks when one day old are shipped in cardboard boxes filled with excelsior. Baby chicks do not need food until they are 100 hours old so they do not require feeding during their journey.

According to Postmaster Sullivan the chicks arrived in Spokane 60 hours after they left Lima. The Pennsylvania takes them to Chicago and from there they go on the Great Northern direct to Spokane.

MRS. IJUANA STYER IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Mrs. Ijiana C. Styer, 73, mother of Mrs. C. P. Oliver, 62, Bribe-avocet, Wednesday. She had been ill a year. Death was due to complications of diseases.

Mrs. Styer was born in Titusville, Pa. Besides the daughter at whose home she died she is survived by two sisters, Miss Rita Grove, Cleveland, and Mrs. Mary Gill, Franklin, Pa., and a brother, John Titusville.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10 o'clock at Mrs. Oliver residence. Interment will be at Woodlawn.

TRIALS OF ALLEGED BOOTLEGGERS FIXED

Date of the trials of eight of the 16 men charged with selling liquor were set at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in criminal court.

Gus Nastis, of the New Hudson Lunch, will be tried at 8 o'clock next Tuesday morning, with Bill Galavas, also of the New Hudson Lunch, at 10 o'clock. O. S. Kiser will be tried Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Wednesday's court will open at 8 o'clock with the trial of Clarence Place. Clarence Sawmiller will be tried at 10 o'clock and John and Leonard Vogel at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Ruben Lanahan will be tried Thursday morning.

The other eight, namely, J. J. Suydam, G. J. Fellows, Henry Sauer, Matt Hanan, John McCambridge, J. M. Sullivan, Elmer Mayfield and Archime Cornilla will be given hearings later.

All of the 16 men were arrested when dry agents swooped down on dealers here last week.

FRESH EGGS 25¢ at Piper's.

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CONGRESS TODAY

SENATE:

Knox peace resolution to be considered.

Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, to speak on treatment of ex-service men.

Finance committee to consider Young Emergency tariff bill in executive session to determine amendments to American valuations clause.

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PARLEY TO AVERT STRIKE HELD

U. S. Takes Hand in Threatened Walkout of Seamen

WASHINGTON.—(By Associated Press)—In an effort to avert the threatened strike of marine workers set for May 1, Chairman Benson of the shipping board had here today representatives of these workers and the owners and operators of American steamships for a conference. He hoped to obtain the adoption of a new agreement covering wages and working conditions.

The conference was called by the chairman after negotiations in New York between the owners and some of the marine unions had resulted in a break, and a call had been issued by the Marine Engineers Beneficial Association for a strike May 1, when existing agreements expired. The International Seamen's Union, according to its president, Andrew Furuseth, voted not to accept the wage reductions, issued no formal call for a strike.

A reduction in wages of from 20 to 30 per cent was sought by the owners, but the men refused to consider the wage cuts and made counter demands for certain changes in the present regulations.

Chairman Benson, however, has said that some reduction in wages and the elimination of overtime were essential to the permanency of the American Merchant Marine in view of the changed economic conditions of the past year.

FORTUNES OF LIONS TOLD BY PLAYERS AT ORPHEUM

The Lions had their fortunes told at their Wednesday luncheon, by means of playing cards by Chief Brockhart, prophet and mentalist and Princess Parillo, who are appearing at the Orpheum.

The chief and his assistant appeared in full Indian costumes and surprised the members by his ability to tell the card each held. It was a demonstration that proved both interesting and amusing.

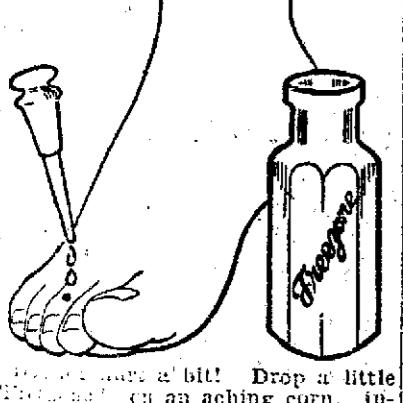
Manager Harman of the baseball club reported great progress in practice work. The Lions will play the Lima Locomotive team on Tuesday afternoon at Murphy Park. The team will practice on Friday evening instead of Thursday as has been the custom.

DEMONSTRATION WILL BE GIVEN IN BASEMENT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, THURS. EVE. BEGINNING PROMPTLY AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MAKING OF PAINTER DRESS FORMS BY MISS PAULINE HYMAN. ADMISSION 25¢. ANYONE WISHING TO HAVE DRESS FORM MADE CALL MRS. H. W. SCHEFTZ, PHONE MAIN 1296.

Bran, Middlings and Mixed Feed, at Dorsey's.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.—Adv.

ROBY SHOT HIS BIGGEST GAME

Well Known Cigar Packer Tells How Syrota Figured in a Hunting Trip

Most everyone connected with the Delsel-Wemmer Co.'s cigar factories knows Arley Roby, the popular packer of 121 S. Union-st., Lima, and appreciates that he is not only expert in his chosen work but has considerable ability as an angler and hunter. Recently, Mr. Roby made a hunting trip that ended in his bagging the biggest game he ever downed—renewed health. He said to the Syrota Man:

"I expect I tried everything man could think of in an effort to get rid of indigestion and catarrh, which were pulling me down. Many medicines were recommended to me, but none of them did me any good until I got Syrota."

"My food used to go bad after meals and I'd either blow up with gas or suffer from heartburn. I always had a bad taste in my mouth, and after eating I'd get so dizzy and played-out that I hadn't am strength enough to lift my hand. Work was a misery, and frequent headaches made it all the worse for me. I'd scarcely get a wink of sleep some nights on account of pain in my stomach."

"I thought Syrota wasn't any better than the other medicines I took, but to my surprise the first bottle caused a marked improvement. It not only mended my digestion, so that I can eat a hearty meal without suffering for it, but my head is clearer from catarrh than it has been in months. No one need suffer from stomach trouble or catarrh when they can get Syrota right here in town."

Syrota is being specially emphasized by a laboratory representative at the Public Drug Store, 142 N. Main, Lima.—Adv.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. HARRIET SHAPPELL WILL BE HELD FRIDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriet Shappell, 85, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. McClintock, near Hume, Tuesday night, will be held Friday at 10:30 o'clock at St. Matthew's Lutheran church, near Hume. The Rev. C. H. Eckhardt, Lima, will officiate. Interment will be in St. Matthew's Lutheran church cemetery.

Mrs. Shappell was the first white female child to be born in Shawnee. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bowsher. They resided on the farm where Mrs. McClintock now lives and upon a part of which the village of Hume was laid out. Her birth occurred in a Shawnee Indian hut.

Her husband, John Q. Shappell, died in 1900. Mrs. Shappell has been in ill health some months. She had resided for some years with her son, U. M. Shappell, during his residence on S. Main-st. and in Bath-tv. She went to Mrs. McClintock's home for a visit last fall and was stricken while there.

She was the mother of four children, two of whom, Benjamin M. and John H., died some years ago. Mrs. McClintock and Mr. Shappell are only surviving children.

Mrs. Shappell was one of a family of 12 children, only two of whom survive, Mrs. George Mowery and Mrs. John Reichelderfer, both of Cridersville. She is survived by 14 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

COUNTY MUST PAY MEN HIRED BY THE SURVEYOR

Prosecuting Attorney E. T. Lipincott has ruled that when a man is employed by Surveyor E. A. Miller to do road work, he must be paid by the county.

In the opinion rendered Wednesday, the prosecutors declared that the law provides for employment in an emergency case, but that eight hours must be the limit to a day's work and so long as employed, he is liable for his pay.

The opinion was sought by the surveyor to make clear the matter of employment of hired help in emergency cases.

FREE WORK FOR BLIND.

Opportunity to render assistance to any blind pensioners or others who suffer from eye cataracts has been extended county commissioners, when persons afflicted may secure operations for removals at a free clinic, to be held at St. Francis hospital, Columbus, May 5.

ROUSH AT HEADQUARTERS.

O. J. Roush, suspended chief of police, visited police headquarters for a short time Wednesday. He refused to talk of the existing trouble between himself and Mayor Burkhardt, except to say he is ready for his hearing before the civil service commission at 9 o'clock Thursday morning in council chamber.

MRS. TYLER DIES.

Mrs. Isabelle Tyler, 76, wife of Moses C. Tyler, 420 N. Pierce-st., died at the City hospital, Wednesday morning, after an illness of six months from a complication of diseases. Her husband survives. No funeral arrangements have been made.

GOITRE IS RELIEVED BY HOME TREATMENT

Ohio Woman Praised External Remedy Which Stopped Suffering

Note: It would be illegal to publish these statements if they were not true.

Mrs. D. A. Witt, 45 Lincoln St., says in her own home paper, the Columbus (Ohio) Dispatch, that after an external treatment suffered by her daughter for three years, I was a nervous wreck and in a terrible run down condition. I had almost given up in despair, when a friend advised me to use Syrota. Once a week bottles have practically cured me and restored me to much better health in every way. I am glad to answer questions about my case, even by letter, for I am a good example.

Coriol Quarters comes in small bottles containing enough for most cases, it will not stain or irritate. Leaves the parts in healthful, normal condition. Requires ten minutes daily.

Get Quarters at Hunter's Drug Stores, Enzberger, Colina, Lewis, Columbus Grove; King Stalkamp, Delphos; Meck's, St. Marys; Hamilton's, Wapakoneta; Zehner's, Jackson Center, drug stores everywhere, or White Sorghum Company, Mechanicsburg, Ohio.—Adv.

PROMINENT MAN COULD SEE BIG CHANGE AT ONCE

Often had dizzy spells, headache, catarrh of the head and nose, gastritis and indigestion. Dreco gave relief. Now sells at old price.

Imagine suffering for years with stomach trouble; imagine not being able to enjoy a single meal in all that time. Wouldn't you be happy if, after all those years, you finally discovered a medicine that relieved your troubles? Wouldn't you just be ready to offer up a prayer of thanksgiving and joy be heaven for the new found health?

This, in substance, has been the remarkable experience of a well known man right here in this section. Here are some of the things he says in effect in his signed statement. He is Mr. Peter Schlosser, well known yard engineer for the B. & O. living at 540 N. McDonald-st., Lima, O.

"I have had to be very careful for years about my eating, as my stomach has been in bad condition. About three weeks ago I bought some Dreco, and that was the turning point for me. I believe the first dose helped, for my stomach was soothed and the gastritis relieved. Continuing the treatment has completely overcome this disorder, roused my sluggish liver to action, strengthened my kidneys, which put a stop to backache and sore, aching muscles.

"I have wonderful appetite; my strength has increased. I sleep sound and the constipation is overcome. My stomach is better than in many a year, and I eat things now I never dared eat before. Dreco is sure a great medicine and deserves all the good things said about it."

Dreco is now sold by all good druggists, and is highly recommended in Lima by Baldwin's Central Drug store, cor Main and High-sts. Adv.

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The Gift Store
135 N. MAIN

DIAMONDS THE GIFTS TO THE BRIDE

There are few gifts that will win the deep appreciation of the bride as the diamond gift. Their purity, their radiance and their elegance makes them the choicest gift.

No matter in what form you present the diamond—ring, brooch, lavaliere or bracelet the bride will cherish it. And we are certainly proud of our selection and quality.

You can rely upon our wide experience and every purchase is backed by our integrity of over 30 years of honesty.

Also a host of other suitable gifts for the bride of jewelry or silver ware.

YOUNGSTERS WILL HAVE SECOND PARTY

SAVINGS TALK NO. 14 CULTIVATING

Another of those delightful parties for youngsters will be staged at the Regent Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, the management of the theater promising for the occasion Mary Pickford's greatest picture "Daddy Long Legs," in which freckled-faced Wesley Barry has much of the fun.

On the occasion of this party one of the youngsters who attended the party at the Regent two weeks ago will be given a pass good for three months. It will be remembered by all the kids who attended that a photograph of the crowd was taken.

Two faces from this crowd have been selected and one of them will be thrown on the screen. If the youngster is in the house to identify himself or herself, the pass will be given at once. There will be the usual good time, singing, etc. It's a good place to send the kid during mother's Saturday morning work. The youngsters will be well looked after. The price will be 10 cents.

5 Percent Interest allowed on Savings Accounts. We also issue 5% Certificates for sums of \$100 or more. Resources Over \$3,800,000. Capital and Surplus Over \$800,000.

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You'll get a balloon with Renz's Bread each Thursday and Tuesday till further notice.

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50c Pebecco Tooth Paste	.43c
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35c Colgate's Tooth Paste	.21c
50c Peppermint Tooth Paste	.43c
43c Bestol Tooth Paste	.29c
35c Kolynos Tooth Paste	.25c
25c Dr. Lyons Tooth Paste	.21c
Mavis Talcum	.22c
Wee Tot Talcum	.32c
Blue Rose Talcum	.47c
Averilsoot Talcum	.32c
Cashmere Bouquet Talcum	.15c

Menen's Violet Talcum .10c
La France Rose Talcum .15c
Dier Kiss Talcum .25c
Schraiz Oriental Bath Powder .39c
Muflized Coconut Oil .43c
5 Packages Henna Shampoo .40c
Oriental Cream Beautifier \$1.43
Men's Silk Hose, 1/2" wide .15c
Genuine Sea Bath Salt, 3 lbs. .91c
Pussy Willow Face Powder .50c

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Bluem's White Goods and Linens

NEW WHITE SKIRTINGS

—Plain and fancy weaves Wash Satins—Tricotines, Gabardine—Oxfords—Pique and Fancy patterns—50c to \$1.50.

WHITE SUITINGS

—Linen finish suitings—Nurse cloths—Middy twills—Poplins, 36 inches wide—25c to 75c.

WHITE DOTTED SWISS

—Imported Swiss and Voltes in small and large dots and small figures—30 to 45 inches wide.

DIMITY—CHECKS AND STRIPES

—Imported Irish Dimities and Domestic makes. 27 to 30 inches wide—35c to \$1.00 yd.

WHITE ORGANIES

—the permanent finish self starching qualities—Plain and checks—36 to 45 inches wide—95c to \$2.00 yd.

SPECIALS

36 inch Long Cloth 25c

36 inch Nainsook 20c

36 inch Long Cloth 39c

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Chantilly and Radium Flounces in white, black, brown, grey and navy.

Braids and Banding in all widths, used on silk and wash dresses.

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Buttons—"Fancy Pearl"—in all sizes, very reasonably priced.

OHIO MAY VOTE ON TAX PROPOSAL

Legislative Committee Expected to agree on Plan Today

COMPROMISE NOW LIKELY

Griswold Debt Limitation Measure Before Senate

COLUMBUS — (By Associated Press) — Appointment of an informal conference committee composed of three members of the senate and three members of the house to agree upon a tax proposal to be submitted to the voters next November was expected to be announced today following adoption in the senate yesterday of the Whittemore classification resolution and agreement of the house to adopt today the Fouts resolution taxing real and personal property by uniform rule and levying intangibles at not less than 5 mills COMMITTEE TO ACT

The Whittemore resolution which abrogates the uniform rule permits adoption of classification and sets a tax limitation on real estate into the constitution of 15 mills in rural districts and 18 mills in cities will be before the house today as well as the Fouts resolution. Both will be referred to the informal conference committee to be named which is expected to recommend for passage a compromise proposal.

Uniform rule adherents were preparing for the final battle with those favoring classification. Governor Davis has urged senate and house leaders to recommend some taxation proposal to the voters. House leaders were not optimistic over the outlook today. They had little hope of the senate accepting the Fouts proposal and said they were confident the house would not adopt the Whittemore proposal in its present form.

DEBT LIMITATION — The Griswold debt limitation proposal which has already passed the house was to come before the senate for passage today. A lively contest is expected on the proposal to insert an amendment in this proposal which would permit cities to extend or acquire public utilities. The senate committee on taxation refused to accept the amendment.

The Brand bill changing existing methods of levying school revenue funds, reducing the one and eight-tenths mill state levy to fifteen hundredths of a mill, was ready for Governor Davis' signature today.

MINIMUM WAGE — Altho the senate committee on manufacture and commerce killed the Schrimper minimum wage bill for women and minors last night, by a vote of four to three, proponents of the bill had not given up hope-to-day of passage of this bill.

A substitute bill recommended by the committee, which advocates of the Schrimper bill rejected, was to be similar to the Massachusetts minimum wage law. It provides that the lieutenant governor, secretary of state, attorney general, auditor of state and treasurer of state shall constitute the minimum wage commission. Payment of minimum wage would be permissive. No penalties for violation are provided. All classes of women workers would be included.

ADJOURNMENT PLANS — A joint resolution providing for final adjournment of the general assembly on May 12, adopted by the house of representatives last night without a dissenting vote, was to come before the senate today. The senate is expected to refuse to agree to final adjournment, preferred to recess until next January. Governor Davis is said to have asked both senate and house leaders to adjourn sine die.

It is the plan of house leaders to practically complete work of the session this week and then recess until May 12, when they will return to act on the biennial appropriation bill and sign bills.

TRUCKS NOT AVAILABLE FOR USE OF TOWNSHIPS

Glen I Wallace, clerk of the board of county commissioners, has received word from the state highway department that no trucks will be available from that department for the use of townships in the county.

The department says that at the present time not even trucks for counties are available. An appeal had been made to county commissioners for trucks for township use.

QUESTIONNAIRE

Interesting Facts About Men You're Acquainted With

EACH day the Lima News submits a questionnaire to some well known person. We have today:

B. E. ROSENBAUM
Empire Furniture Co.
What is your name in full? Benj. E. Rosenbaum.
Have you ever had a nickname? "Rosy".

What was your favorite sport when you were a boy? Baseball.

What athletics did you engage in when you were in school? The same.

What is your hobby today? Outside of my business it's baseball.

What was your ambition when you were a boy? To be a merchant.

What event in your life caused you to choose your present profession? Was born in it.

If you had your life to live over what profession would you choose? The same.

What would you do with a million dollars if you had it to give away? Endow a hospital for all nationalities and creeds.

WILL ORGANIZE CLUBS. Organization of a boys and girls farm club will be attempted Wednesdays evening at the Blue Lick school house. Bath-top W. H. Palmer, state director of the clubs, will be present to outline the work and aid them in getting started. The meeting will begin at 7:30.

MEN AND MATTERS. W. C. Hansburger 829 Meadow ave will assume a position as principal of the Commercial Dept at the Lima Business College having recently resigned his position with the Baxter Brothers.

SALVATION ARMY AIDS NAMED

Kenton Appoints Committee to Help in Home Service

KENTON—(Special) — Kenton has an Advisory Committee to help carry out the Home Service program of the Salvation Army in this community. The committee was named following an address by Logan McKee, representing the divisional headquarters of the Army, before the Chamber of Commerce. Its personnel is Carl W. Smith, chairman; L. S. Bixler, T. E. Cassidy, J. V. Connel, Carl Ellis, Burd Flansh, W. E. McCoy, W. C. Kohler, Wm. Kras, D. R. Nourse, Carl Price, W. H. Snyder, J. R. Stilling, C. C. Swift and J. H. Allen.

Col. R. D. Cole, Findlay, former congressman and his law partner H. O. Dunn, were counsel for Jasper Dukes, Hancock, in his suit against Allen Edward, of McGuffey, farmer and stockman, which was tried in common pleas court here Tuesday. Judge H. E. Hope directed a jury verdict for the defendant Dukes, alleged damages due to a transaction over in chase of cattle.

Ira Decker, a woman of west of Kenton, was severely crushed about the pelvis when she was caught between two trucks. An automobile rammed the front truck.

An orchestra has been formed by the Kenton Chamber school. The musicians are Wm. Sabransky, Nick Pfeiffer, Alfred Brindley, Vernon Schutte and Dale Livingston.

Physical examination of the fifth grade pupils of the public schools has been completed. Corinda Sutter, public health nurse, who will soon start examination of sixth grade pupils.

DAUGHTER ARRIVES. Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Levally, 411 E. McKeithen, announce the arrival of their daughter, Marjorie Jean, born Tuesday April 19.

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	THE HIGHEST GRADE RUGS NOW OFFERED AT NEW LOW PRICES
8x10 6 New Axminster Rugs	\$12.75
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9x12 New Axminster Rugs	\$137.50
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9x12 All Wool Brussels	\$35.00
9x12 Wool Flair	\$25.00
9x12 Heavy Fiber	\$15.00
8x10 6 New Axminster Rugs	\$110.00
8x10 6 Royal Worcester Rugs	\$80.00
8x10 6 T prie Wilton Rugs	\$75.00
8x10 6 Peerless Brussels Rugs	\$54.00
9x12 Anglo Persian Rugs	\$120.00
9x12 Royal Worcester Rugs	\$90.00
9x12 Teppet Wilton Rugs	\$84.00
9x12 Peerless Brussels Rugs	\$60.00
11x13x12 Royal Axminster Rugs	\$65.00

This Is the Rug Sale You Have Been Waiting For — Buy Now — Cash or Credit Same Price

\$5.00 down and \$1.00 per week on Rugs up to \$50.00. A proportionate payment down on higher priced rugs and \$1.00 per week—allowing you the use of your rugs while you are paying for them—isn't this an attractive rug buying proposition?

CARTER & CARROLL

BEVERAGE LICENSE ACT IS UPHELD BY COURT

AKRON—A court decision of state-wide importance was issued Wednesday when visiting Judge Walter D. Jones, Piqua, Ohio, upheld the validity of the Akron beverage license ordinance. Many cities throughout the state have patterned laws from the local ordinance which is adjudged the most effective means yet used to curb illicit liquor traffic.

The finding of Judge Jones was handed down from a test suit brought by John Loebner, former lot drink parlor proprietor who was refused a beverage license citing instances of recent convictions, Judge Jones said:

"It seems to the court that under its charter as it now stands, the city has the right to enact this ordinance to meet an evil of recent growth."

FIGHT OPENS IN WASHINGTON MEETING FOR DRESS REFORM

MOTHERS OPPOSE KNEE DISPLAY

Fight Opens in Washington Meeting for Dress Reform

WASHINGTON — (By United Press)—Missouri today joined in to the lead in the fight to take the feminine knee out of the public eye.

The state, thru its delegates, went on record at the National Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers Association here as opposed to the dis-

play of knees, skin blemishes and large areas of breast bone.

Mrs. Mary Ward Morgan, chairman of the publicity committee of the Missouri State Branch, and Mrs. William Ullmann, president, declared to the delegates their intention to carry their fight for dress reform to all parts of the nation. They reported surprising success in the high schools of Missouri.

Here is the costume of the Mis-

souri high school girl:

A middy, blue skirt reaching well down to the ankles, cotton hose and low-heeled shoes.

Cosmetics of all sorts are barred.

Just enough powder to take the shine off the nose is allowed.

Both Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Ullmann, who are residents of Springfield, Mo., reported that the year of reform dress has been one of the most successful school years in the

actual work of the year.

Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Ullmann of simple dress were recorded in the

city.

The psychology and demerits of simple dress were recorded in the

case said.

MASONIC DANCE APRIL 29TH.

LAST DANCE OF THE SEASON.

8:30 TO 11:30 P. M.

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GALVANIZED WARE

"Canco" heavy galvanized Garbage Pails, made from first quality black sheets and then galvanized insuring against rust and leakage. Tight fitting covers.

5 gallon size, regular price \$1.35—A Thursday special at \$1.12.

7 gallon size, regular price \$1.68, special at \$1.48.

10 gallon size, regular price \$1.98, special at \$1.58.

Heavy galvanized Wash Tubs made by the same factory in the same manner.

No. 0 size, regular price 89c, special 78c.

No. 1 size, regular price 98c—special 78c.

No. 2 size, regular price \$1.19, special 97c.

No. 3 size, regular price \$1.39—special \$1.18.

10 quart galvanized pail, with any of these tubs at each 27c.

STONEWARE

Stone Jars of all sizes from 1 gallon to 20 gallon at the usual price of 9c the gallon.

Flower Pots

4 Inch. 5c each.

6 Inch. 12c each.

8 Inch. 25c each.

—up to the

14-inch at \$1.00 each.

Stone Jugs

Compare these prices for Stone Jugs

1 gallon at 25c.

2 gallon at 49c.

3 gallon at 72c.

Stone Combines with lid at 85c.

PORCH GATES

Just received a new shipment of the National Champion Porch Gate. This gate is of the highest grade finished with two coats of varnish. Snap lock that can not be unfastened by children insures safety.

Note these prices and make comparisons.

9 ft size at \$3.10.

7 ft size at \$2.79.

5 foot size at \$2.69.

3 ft size at \$2.19.

ROWLAND'S

—Free Demonstration This Week—



WHITE QUALITY SERVICE!

For nearly half a century

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THE KILLER

BY STEWART EDWARD WHITE

(Continued from page One)
most extraordinary agility, thwacked a lone house fly, and returned. "—and you will undoubtedly be ready for it."

My last impression as I left the room was of the baleful, dead, challenging stare of the man's wildcat eyes.

The Mexican glided before me. We walked along the veranda and entered a bedroom. My guide disappeared.

The one door and one window opened into the court. The other side was blank except that near the ceiling ran a curious, long, narrow opening closed by a transom-like ash. I concluded that it must have been a sort of loophole for musketry in the old days. Probably they had some kind of scaffold to stand on.

I pulled on my shirt and took a good wash; removed my spurs and chaps, knotted my silk handkerchief necktie fashion and slouched down my wet hair. I took off my gun belt also, but thrust the revolver inside the waistband of my drawers.

Then I sat down to wait. Never before nor since have I experienced such stillness.

At the end of the half hour I returned to the parlor. Old Man Hooper was there waiting. A hanging lamp had been lighted. Out of the shadows cast from it a slender figure rose and came forward.

"My daughter, Mr. ——He paused.

"Sanborn," I supplied.

The girl was very pale, with black hair and wide eyes under a fair, wide brow. She only bowed slightly.

We went at once into a dining room at the end of the little dark hall, lighted by a suspended lamp that threw the illumination straight down on a table perfect in its appointments. The same Mexican served us delightful food, well cooked. The old man talked, urbanely, of a wide range of topics. The girl never raised her eyes from her plate.

From the blackness outside a single frog began to chirp. My host's flow of words eddied, ceased. He raised his head uneasily; then, without apology, glided from the room. The Mexican remained, both upright, in the dimness.

For the first time the girl spoke. Her voice was low and sweet.

"Ramon," she said in Spanish, "I am chilly. Close the window."

The servant turned his back to obey. With a movement rapid as a snake's dart the girl's hand came from beneath the table, reached across and thrust into mine a small, folded paper. The next instant she was sitting down as before in apparent apathy.

At the end of a period my host returned, resumed his seat, and took up his remarks where he had left them.

The girl disappeared somewhere between the table and the sitting room. Old Man Hooper offered me a cigar and sat down deliberately to entertain me. His manner was detached and a little precise. Every few moments he burst into a flurry

FOR ITCHING TORTURE

Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clean and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with Zemo which generally overcomes skin diseases. Eczema with pimples, rashes, blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35¢ or extra large bottle \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky, and is positively safe to tender sensitive skins.

In skin troubles ordinary soaps are irritating and liable to aggravate the condition. Use Zemo soap. It is antiseptic, soothing and hastens the process of healing.

The E. W. Row Co., Cleveland, O.

FOR LUMBAGO

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves

You just rub Musterole in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious, soothng comfort comes to take its place. Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister. Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frostbitten feet, colds of the chest. Always dependable. 35¢ and 65¢ jars; hospital size \$3.00



If You Don't

buy your first sack of Pride of Lima it's your mistake. If you don't order the second, that's our fault.

If you have not tried the first sack do it now.



of activity with the fly whacker, bat returning always calmly to his discourse with an air of never having moved from his chair.

I noticed the very first chirp of another frog outside and watched my host covertly. After a few repetitions I saw subtle signs of un-easiness, and soon, again, he glided from the room. The old Mexican servant came and pretended to fum with the lamps.

My curiosity was now thoroughly aroused, but like the bedroom the parlor gave out only on the interior court. The flash of lanterns against the ceiling above reached me. The chirp of the frog came to an abrupt end.

Shortly my host returned and took up the monologue. I asked him, apropos of the piano, whether his daughter played. "Do you like music?" he added, and seated himself at the instrument. He played to me for half an hour. I know he played well and that he played good things. For the first time he came out of himself, abandoned himself to feeling. His close-cropped head swayed from side to side; his staring, wildcat eyes half closed.

He slammed shut the piano and arose, more dryly precise than ever. "I imagine all that is rather beyond you," he remarked. "Here is a short document I would have you take to your room for perusal. Good-bye."

"Sanborn," I supplied.

The girl was very pale, with black hair and wide eyes under a fair, wide brow. She only bowed slightly.

We went at once into a dining room at the end of the little dark hall, lighted by a suspended lamp that threw the illumination straight down on a table perfect in its appointments. The same Mexican served us delightful food, well cooked. The old man talked, urbanely, of a wide range of topics. The girl never raised her eyes from her plate.

From the blackness outside a single frog began to chirp. My host's flow of words eddied, ceased. He raised his head uneasily; then, without apology, glided from the room. The Mexican remained, both upright, in the dimness.

For the first time the girl spoke. Her voice was low and sweet.

"Ramon," she said in Spanish, "I am chilly. Close the window."

The servant turned his back to obey. With a movement rapid as a snake's dart the girl's hand came from beneath the table, reached across and thrust into mine a small, folded paper. The next instant she was sitting down as before in apparent apathy.

At the end of a period my host returned, resumed his seat, and took up his remarks where he had left them.

The girl disappeared somewhere between the table and the sitting room. Old Man Hooper offered me a cigar and sat down deliberately to entertain me. His manner was detached and a little precise. Every few moments he burst into a flurry

in despair. I cannot write more. I am watched."

I unfolded the paper. Hooper himself had given me and read: "I am held a prisoner. This man Hooper is not my father, but he is vindictive and cruel and dangerous. Beware for yourself. I live in the last room in the left wing. I am watched, so cannot write more." The handwriting was the same.

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Small size jar	35 cent size	25 cent size	81.25 size
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50 cent size	60 cent size	10 cent tube	85 cent size
32c	38c	7c	23c
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All odors	25 cent size	11c	85 cent size
11c	18c	19c	23c

DEFENSE RESTS IN LAMPY CASE

Van Wert Murder Trial is Near-ing Its Close

ACCUSED TELLS HIS STORY

Ridge-tp Waives Rights to In-heirance Tax Share

estate over in case any thing of the kind happened.

The question of the tax has been holding up the work on the erection of the home. In return for such action the executors of the estate promised to maintain the Paulding road and the McCoy road where they are in touch with the Marsh farm.

SPEED COP TAKES IN 6 VIOLATORS

Rola Glover Chases Down Sex-tette—Four Fined

VAN WERT — (Special) — Following the testimony of John Lampy, defendant in the case now in progress, charged with first degree murder for shooting of George DeCamp, the defense rested its case Tuesday afternoon. After a short intermission the state called O. J. Myers and B. A. Myers of Celina, and S. A. McGee of York-tp character witnesses who testified that George DeCamp as they knew him was a quiet man.

Trustees of Ridge-tp acting in accordance with the stand taken by the council of the city of Van Wert have drawn up a resolution waiving all rights to their share of the inheritance tax ruled as legal by Attorney General Price of Ohio.

Price held that the will leaving the greater part of estate to establish an orphan's home and school was invalid because Mr. Marsh died within a year from the time the paper was drawn up and so the property should revert to his daughter Mrs. Katie Marsh.

C. D. Mechling, 36, of 1114 S.

John's-ave was fined \$1 for driving his automobile with only one light burning. He was arrested on N.

Sped Cop Rola Glover arrested six motorists during the storm Tuesday night charged with violating traffic laws.

J. L. Schorrel, 314 W. Wayne-

st, was stopped on W. Market-st, for

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Jack Neff, 1265 Lakewood-ave,

sales manager for the Lima Motor

Car company, was fined \$10 for

speeding on W. Market-st.

E. H. Roberts, 722 W. Elm-st,

told Judge Jackson that the rain

had caused a short circuit in his

machine which caused one light to

go out. His case was dismissed.

R. H. Cook, 785 W. High-st,

pleaded not guilty to a charge of

speeding his automobile at 30 miles

per hour along W. Market-st. He

was to be given a hearing in criminal

court at 1 o'clock Wednesday after

noon.

C. D. Mechling, 36, of 1114 S.

John's-ave was fined \$1 for driving

his automobile with only one light

burning. He was arrested on N.

Central-ave.

ENVIRONMENT IS BOYS' GUIDE

Chaplain Declares Surroundings Determine Their Course

That environment is the only difference between the good boy and the bad boy was the statement by Dr. H. W. Kellogg, chaplain of the Mansfield Reformatory, in an address Tuesday night before the Child Welfare Bureau at the Lima Club.

Dr. Kellogg stated that the community must come to the aid of the home today or everything will be lost. Recreation is the big problem in every city and is one which must be handled by the city as a whole.

"There are three times as much juvenile delinquency during the summer vacation as during 'school,'" said the speaker. "Boys must be given something to do for a busy boy will not commit crime."

An interesting work is being done

by Miss Anna Moore at the different recreational centers in the city. Play

is being supervised and community centers organized. Nutrition classes in the schools have been provided and many children enabled to regain their health.

MANY CHILDREN EXAMINED

Miss Ida Nikel, rural school visiting nurse, has examined more than 4,000 school children during the past year. Of these 25 per cent were found to be normal while the rest had some defect of the eyes, ears, nose, throat or some constitutional disease. Recommendations were made to the parents and, in a number of instances meetings with the mothers were held and the whole subject

of health discussed. Miss Nikel, who has resigned, will be succeeded May 1 by Miss Charlotte Bennett.

Supervision of the children under the care of the boarding division of the Child Welfare was discussed in the report of Miss Eunice Trumbo. She told of various cases that had come to her attention and made an appeal for clothing for some of the unfortunate children.

At the afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. the following officers were elected: President, Dr. Josephine LePree; vice president, Walter Parmenter; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Guy Bayly; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lester Pratt.

TITLE QUIETED.

Title was quieted by the court of common pleas Tuesday in the action of E. B. Moyer against Catherine T. Siemmons. The testifying showed Moyer had been in possession of the property, consisting of .76 acres of land in Section 20, Auglaize-tp, many years.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Charles H. Morgret, 43, stationary fireman, W. Elm-st and Grace Alberta Kreher, 36, housekeeper, 1615 Dana-ave

HAVE TO GET UP NIGHTS?

If So Your Bladder Is Irritated Try This Simple Remedy.

Wm. D. Ostermeyer, 328 E. Second St., Dayton, Ohio, says in his own handwriting, "The Dayton Daily News," "My bladder caused me to get up many times at night and inconveniences me as often as every 30 minutes in the day. After taking the lithiated buckwheat tablets my bladder is perfectly normal. They also relieved me of a very lame back. It gives me much pleasure to tell my friends about these little tablets." Little tablets on the bladder and kidneys like Epsom salts on the bowels. It cleans out the impurities, which cause the irritation. It is not a patent medicine, as the formula is on the package. One tablet costs 10 cents. This is the only tablet you can take in the formula several high priced drugs, which are necessary to give prompt relief. Very likely you have never taken anything like this. Try a few tablets for headache, scalding, scanty or interrupted urine, frequent desire, gravel and other deposits of the bladder. Ask to see the Keller formula of lithiated buckwheat at Hunter's Drug Stores or drug stores everywhere.—Adv.

BANDIT TAKEN AFTER CHASE THRU TUNNEL

NEW YORK — After three men held up a French steamship chef in a Brooklyn subway station early today and robbed their victim of \$225 in cash, one of them took refuge in the subway tube leading under the East River to Manhattan.

The Frenchman related his plight in broken English to the ticket who started several workmen, armed with crowbars, wrenches and other tools in pursuit.

The fugitive, who gave his name as Harry Gross, was caught after he had traversed the subterranean passage to Wall-41, having successfully dodged several subway trains that roared thru the tunnel. The other two assailants escaped.

NAB ALLEGED DESERTER

John L. Carroll, Memphis, Tenn., was arrested Tuesday night by Officer Kipker. He was charged with being a deserter from the army Wednesday morning he was turned over to military authorities.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

CANTWELL: C. Micasca, 719 S.

Union-st to St. Rita's hospital. Miss

Edna Shingledecker, City hospital to

779 N. Jackson-st to St. Rita's.

ECKERT: James Beckman, City

hospital to Robb-ave and Summit-st.

Mrs. Wiseman, St. Rita's to 526 W.

High-st.

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Mrs. Irvin

Brentlinger, City hospital to 931 W.

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POOLING OF RAIL WORK URGED

Union Leader Says Plan Will Save \$100,000,000

WILL CONSOLIDATE OFFICES

Outlines Method Before Labor Board in Wage Fight

CHICAGO—(By United Press)—Details of how organized labor believes railroads of the United States can save over \$1,000,000,000 in expenditures annually, were described by W. Jetz Luck, American Federation of Labor economist today, in a statement to the United States railroad labor board.

Luck appeared as a witness for railroad unions in their fight to prevent reduction of wages asked by the railroads.

"Highest efficiency in railroad administration will be obtained thru a national unified control or a regional control, which will utilize all existing facilities regardless of competing claims," Luck said.

McADOO QUOTED

He quoted former Director General William G. McAdoo to show that "there is no question but that great economies are possible under unified management in the direction of comprehensive national plan for transporting products with minimum effort in the shortest line from point to point."

Luck suggested pooling of repair shops, elimination of circuitous rail routes, unification of terminals, consolidation of ticket offices, mileage tickets, standardization of equipment, maintenance of uniform eight classifications, maintenance of common time tables between important points, high demurrage rates and utilization of water routes for relief of crowded rail lines.

Pooling of locomotives and cars were recommended to meet traffic congestion. He said this would be impossible under private control.

BAD MANAGEMENT CHARGED

Luck charged failure to adopt economic devices, to standardize locomotives over-development of motive power in respect to other facilities, inefficient handling at the terminals, labor turnover waste, preventable loss and damage, poor accounting and other alleged extravagances cost the railroads \$963,500,000 annually.

Engine terminals and shops are from ten to 30 years behind the times rendering them about 50 percent efficient, he charged.

The permanent way of railroads—classification yards, road beds, passing sidings, coaling and water facilities, bridges, signal

equipment and communication has been so neglected as to be another source of waste and inefficiency."

Bridges, it was declared, are in many instances too light to permit the hauling of maximum load trains.

Installation of permanent bridges, while calling for a big outlay in cash, would net millions in savings to railroads each year, Luck said.

WORLD NEWS

YOUNGSTOWN—Thirty-one proprietors and bartenders were arrested in Youngstown's most extensive raid against alleged liquor law violators. Eight proprietors are being sought.

CLEVELAND—"Bobby" Hunt was formerly charged with the murder of Patrolman Elmer Sproat, who was shot last Thursday. Hunt is in a hospital suffering from three bullet wounds.

CLEVELAND—Frank H. Wilson was elected president and general manager of the Cleveland, Southwestern and Columbus Railway Company. He was formerly connected with the New York Central and Big Four railroads.

CINCINNATI—Minta Ward, Kentucky girl, who disappeared Tuesday after writing letters to the effect that she contemplated suicide, was found registered in a downtown hotel.

WASHINGTON—Nominations of Brigadier General Clarence R. Edwards and eleven other brigadier generals to be major generals were confirmed by the senate.

WASHINGTON—Nomination of Guy D. Goff, to be assistant to the attorney general, was confirmed by the senate.

WASHINGTON—The senate passed the budget bill without a record vote.

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HOMES DESTROYED IN REPRISAL MOVE

DUBLIN—A headquarters statement today announced that because of the murder of Sergeant MacFadden and an attack upon the crown forces at Kilrush, the houses of John Leddy and William Dough had been destroyed as a military operation.

An attack on Unionists is reported from Armagh, where an attempt was made to burn the Ballyrea Orange hall. Two houses were destroyed with bombs. The official statement attributes this destruction to the Irish republican army.

AGED LIMA RESIDENT IS CALLED BY DEATH

Peter Kiper, 56, proprietor of the Marshall hotel, Wayne and Main streets, died early Wednesday, after an illness of a year from Bright's disease. He had lived in Lima 40 years.

Besides the widow, he is survived by a brother, Jacob, in Saginaw, Mich., two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Bulkough, Saginaw, and Mrs. Katie Withering, Indiana.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 10 o'clock at the residence. The Rev. T. W. Hoernemann, pastor of the First Reformed church, will officiate. Interment will be at Van Wert.

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Blouse Shop—Second Floor

STRIKE INSURANCE IS DECLARED VALUELESS

COLUMBUS.—Strike compensation insurance policies secured by Ohio Master Printers is practically valueless, according to a ruling by B. W. Gearheart, state insurance commissioner.

Gearheart held that the policies could not be enforced in an Ohio court.

Under state laws, an insurance company is without authority to do business without having obtained a license from his department.

Gearheart's opinion said: "The ruling was made when John J. Hoban, president of the Cleveland Typographical Union, inquired as to whether proceedings in the supreme

court against a Maryland company, which had been issuing strike protection without a license. He found the proceedings could not be brought because the company had no agents in the state.

MILK PRICE CUT.
COLUMBUS.—Several local milk distributing companies today announced a reduction of one cent a quart on milk, making the price 35 cents.

WALL PAPER—THE BEST LINE AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES AT SCHELL'S BOOK STORE.

Peaches, Apricots, White Cherries, Red Pitted Cherries, Raspberries and Blackberries at special prices this week, at Piper's.

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Petticoats that are embroidery trimmed or have embroidery flounces, others are plain and some are scalloped. A double pannet is a feature of some. They are well made, cut full, regular and extra sizes, and of splendid quality but are slightly soiled causing the very special prices.

Combination Suits, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

The Combination Suits are to be had in white or pink with built up or strap tops, lace or embroidery trimmed. There are not all sizes of any one style but all sizes are represented in the lot.

THE HOSE SHOP

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Hosiery of remarkable value. A heavy, black, ingrain silk hose with lavender top. It is full fashioned and has reinforced heel and toe—all sizes.

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French Val Laces

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With ready cash as an inducement we have succeeded in procuring about 500 dozen French Val Laces at a big saving, and as usual, we are willing to share the saving with our patrons.

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Coming in various widths are edges and inserting to match; edges with bedding combined are also to be had.

There are many pretty patterns, most of which will make just the right trimming for the Graduation and Confirmation Dress, as well as Milady's summer costume. For nice lingerie there is no daintier adornment.

Live Stock Prices Are Down

Eighty cents per hundred pounds now means 10 per cent of the value of a hog.

Every farmer in Allen County can save this 10 per cent by selling his stock thru the Allen County Livestock Company.

This company is essentially an incorporated livestock shipping association for the whole county.

The method of handling live stock will be explained at a meeting in Memorial Hall, April 30, 1921, at 1:00 P. M.

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JOHNNY STEEL TAKES THE FIRST PLUNGE IN THE "OLE SWIMMIN' HOLE"

ALL THE MONEY YOU HAVE NOT CAN BUY TWO WORDS IN THESE COLUMNS

BUSINESS IS REVIVING

THERE is no individual in the makeup of the business life of America that is more typical as a reflection of conditions as they really are than the traveling salesman. He is a barometer that it is unfailing. When he is numerous and busy, the country is prosperous and good times prevail.

The aftermath of the war, as readjustment asserted itself, forced from their wonted activity hundreds and thousands of these active business promoters. A lull in buying and sky high prices rendered their calling a precarious one. All that is changing now. Wholesale houses that had cut their traveling forces to the very minimum, content to take care of what little business there was available with small forces, are now realizing the necessity of more representatives on the road.

Initial trips made by men returned to their former routes have been prolific of the most encouraging reports. Increased buying is the order and a better and more widespread sentiment of optimism prevails. This is particularly true of the south and southwest, where for long months stagnation was most marked.

Merchants who believed that commodity prices would make further drops have apparently realized that they were mistaken and consequently have reentered the markets. Where traveling men have heretofore been unnecessary and where buying has been so small that a mail order was all sufficient, the knights of the grip are finding a revival of business that is encouraging.

Failure and refusal of merchants to buy products was largely responsible for stagnation of manufacture. That too is changing now. Slowly, it is true, factories are resuming, the unemployment situation is taking on a more promising aspect and the labor situation is being adjusted. There will likely be further readjustments in the matter of prices, but it is firmly believed that they will be gradual. No sensational declines or advances are anticipated.

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TOO MUCH EVEN FOR RUSSIA

SOVIET Russia is becoming nauseated with the sort of reds, bolshevists, anarchists and communists we have been sending from these shores to that unhappy land. The latest ship load consists of 75 persons. And it will be the last, for Russia has called a halt, refusing to admit more of them.

When deportations first began, Russia apparently was happy to receive them. Individuals of the Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman type apparently have opened the eyes of the soviet leaders to the fact that even in that country such wild eyed theorists are dangerous.

Everything goes under the government of Lenin and Trotzky, or rather it used to be so, but apparently they are awakening to the fact that American visionaries and radicals are not desirable. Whereas, the first ships that sailed away from these shores bearing parties of individuals no longer necessary or desirable to Uncle Sam, were hailed in Russian ports, they are no longer welcome.

And the strangest part of it all is that those who have been forcibly invited to have their letters addressed to them in Russia, oppose deportation strenuously. Their constitutional rights are invoked, despite the fact that they alienated themselves from such rights. Before they come under the eye of the discriminating government that seeks to rid itself of festering sores of revolution, these radicals apparently are obsessed with the idea that Russia is a paradise; that it is a land flowing with milk and honey; where one has but to wish and 'tis his.

But stern reality tells a different tale. Instead of being met with brass bands and high honors, they are made the subject of close investigation and rigid scrutiny by the soviet government. Well defined rules and laws are

laid down for them and warning is given that certain bounds must not be overstepped. In other words, no matter how irksome the soviet government plan becomes, they must not complain or seek to interfere.

Some of the undesirables we have sent to Moscow have been fomenting revolution and about the next thing we know the soviet will be sending them back to us, as undesirable even in Russia.

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THE ELKS CARNIVAL

WITHIN a few days Lima Lodge, No. 54, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks will open another great carnival. It is expected that it will surpass any held heretofore, the fame of which have spread thru Elkdom to the far corners of the country.

Lima is to be congratulated upon having within its borders an organization of boosters such as the Elks lodge. Composed of nearly 2,000 wide-awake men who are ever ready to perform an act of service, this lodge has become an important factor in the city's life. It is more than a social club—it is a community organization with the best interest of every person at heart.

The carnival, which will be in the form of entertainment for men and women, young and old, is for a worthy cause. A big percentage of the proceeds will go to charity for the assistance of worthy poor to be administered thru the welfare organization, and the remainder to help pay for the magnificent lodge home to which every citizen points with pride, even tho he may not be a member of the fraternity.

The Elks building has become a meeting place for home folk and visitors. There may be secured accommodations such as would be impossible were it not for the home. For that reason the community at large is interested in its welfare.

The carnival should be a success. The men in charge have given much time and labor to make it enjoyable. The public ought to be generous in its support.

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CRIME DOESN'T PAY

DESPITE the fact that scores and hundreds of pages on court dockets in this and other states, showing the record of cases disposed of, the men and women named thereon now behind prison walls, indicates positively and conclusively that crime doesn't pay, many others continue to follow the beaten path that leads to disgrace and punishment.

The latest example of the fallacy of crime that has come to light in connection with the administration of justice in the local courts is that of Grant Seymour. Young, well educated; in demeanor, dress and bearing a gentleman, he applied his talents in a channel that directed his footsteps inevitably to a prison cell.

Relying on his expert knowledge of the forgery of names of responsible persons and with an exhibition of talent that deserved use in a better cause, Seymour floated bad checks right and left, traveling thru nearly all the states of the union, leaving behind him a trail of wrongdoing that demanded extraordinary effort on the part of officers of the law in bringing retribution upon him.

Nemesis in the form of a woman trailed him away from Allen-co., to Detroit and from the Michigan city back to Allen-co. With trunks and suit cases filled with fine clothing and haberdashery, Seymour was making his way westward to "green fields and pastures new," when he was taken. He is under sentence to the Ohio penitentiary, where, with only a number for a name and hard labor as his portion, he will have ample opportunity to reflect upon his wrongdoing.

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Maude Radford Warren asks: "Should women choose their mates?" Foolish question No. 65,437. They always do, Maude.

Maybe Carpenter and Dempsey could fight it out with ouija boards.

WOULD SHE? Jim's wife tells all the scandal (Or so I've understood.) Would my wife do a thing like that? O'boy, I'll say she would!

—L. M. W.

A DANDY LYIN' SPRING SONG. Oh, what do they care what the dry-workers say! The dandelions are blooming today— All over, or nearly.

So, ho! to the buxom friends of the spring Who gather gold blossoms, 'n' everything That makes a bottle disquieting.

Yet is medicine merely.

Alas, I'm too busy to garner and brew, My affairs are all stewing, and I am too.

But not in that manner;

And yet when those blossoms enrapture my eye,

My heart skips a beat—I'm the sort of a dry

Unvoluntary ready to drink on the sly

'Neath the temperance banner.

—S. Q. Volla.



JUST FOLKS—BY EDGAR A. GUEST

GRASS AND CHILDREN

I used to want a lovely lawn, a level patch of green, reigns, a most forbidding place. By stopping all the merriment which For I have marveled many times at now is ours to know. In time, beyond the slightest doubt, And in my early dreams of youth the tender grass would grow. Possessed a lawn of beauty rare, a But oh, I want the children near, velvet carpet deep, and so I never say. When they are romping round the But I have changed my mind since home, "Go somewhere else to play!" Then where the feet of children run the grass can never grow. Now I might own a lovely lawn, but And in the lawn seems poorly kept, I should have to say. I'd rather see, than growing grass, To all the little ones about, "Go somewhere else to play!" I've put aside the dream I had in And I should have to stretch a wire about my garden space. I'd rather have a playground than And make the home where gladness place for grass to grow. (Copyright, 1921)

ABE MARTIN



Gabe Crow is in Washington, D. C., on a hunting trip. Remember how excited a feller used to git when he went home an' didn't find his wife there?

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WHAT THE STARS PREDICT

This is a lucky day. Under this rule of the stars those who seek new appointments or engage in new undertakings should succeed.

Today is very lucky for presidents, governors, and all who administer public affairs.

Again a prophecy is made that there will be a change in the President's cabinet, probably before autumn.

A kindly star rules Chicago and the Middle West, and great prosperity should mark this section of the country in the near future.

Persons whose birthday this is, should have an unusually successful and happy year, marked by travel and great material prosperity.

Children born today will be successful in all their undertakings if they overcome a tendency to selfishness and egotism.

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Hi Stubbins, See!



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A foreign critic says the United States is only keeping its little army of occupation in Germany for business purposes—our Watch on the Rhine is no dollar watch—it will pay you to watch The Hoover Bond Co.'s adds.

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PRETTY TEXAS GIRL IS FEATURED IN PICTURE

Hope Hampton Became Famous Over Night As Movie Actress in "The Bait"

"The Passion Flower" is Story of Stage Loves and Hates — It's Recommended

(By ESTHER WAGNER) HERE'S a big romantic melo-drama bristling with thrills and heart appeal. It is "The Bait," made by Maurice Tourneur, who also produced "The White Heather," "Deep Waters" and many other successes. It features in the leading role Miss Hope Hampton, the vivacious Texas beauty who sprang almost over night to fame in the film world, and is the most promising and talked-about of all the younger stars.

"The Bait" begins with a thrill—a shooting fray in the dark that starts the mystery ball rolling and keeps up a breath-taking pace right to the end. The heroine is a shop-girl who is "flamed" by a master crook so that she will come under his power. Then, when he has won her gratitude by a seemingly kind act, he tries to use her as a pawn in a game to blackmail a young millionaire.

"The Bait" is an adaption of Sidney Toler's play "The Tiger Lady," which had a successful Broadway run. It will appear here soon.

The Passion Flower

IF YOU will visit the Regent this week you will see before you a picture of strange loves and hates in "The Passion Flower," which stars Norma Talmadge, a picture that dares forego the usual happy ending. No "cluth and fade out" here but a gallant mother growing smililingly rigid in death against the tumultuous bosom of the daughter she has rescued from shame with her heart's blood.

It would never do to make the statement positively, but it seems to me that Eudie Jensen comes prettier than being the star of this photoplay. She is the mother, and her work is fine, delicate and clean cut.

She portrays tenderness, strength, passion and sacrifice with power and an exquisite reticence. You have seen Miss Jensen before, but never as you see her in "The Passion Flower." Nance O'Neill had the role of the mother in the stage version of this tale.

The film must have been pretty hard to work out without offending anyone. Herbert Brenon, however, has performed the feat. He presents to you simply, dramatically and cleanly the following story:

Acacia's widowed mother marries again. The girl, who had idolized her father, resents her action and vows eternal hatred against Eusteban her step-father.

Eusteban who has come prepared to be a father to the child, finds himself in deep contempt by Acacia, but before he realizes the fact, he finds that he has conceived a mad infatuation for her which spurs him to the breaking up of one engagement and the murder of the youth to whom she is finally betrothed.

Misery and tragedy stalk thru the house. More and more often the girl cries, "I hate you!" Then one day an old servant utters the words: "You do not hate him. You love him!"

"You lie!" the Passion Flower pants. Then she adds brokenly, "God grant you lie!"

But it is the truth.

The mother, Raimunda, learning



HOPE HAMPTON



MRS. J. A. BURRINGTON
Los Angeles, Calif.

At the same time the knowledge rushes over her daughter, goes to the door and calls the police—for Esteban has murdered, she has loved and shielded him. She gives him up and falls with a bullet wound in her heart.

Miss Talmadge is beautiful as the Passion Flower, Acacia, and does her usual sincere, exquisite work. In Harrison Ford and Cortenay Foote, she has excellent support. The locate and sets are in keeping with the story which, as seems, is one of the nicest Miss Talmadge has given us for some time.

It's bound to please you, is "The Passion Flower." At the Regent the remainder of this week.

Ed Wynn Carnival

FRESH from Metropolitan triumphs and much improved since last seen locally, when it was in its experimental stages, comes "The Ed Wynn Carnival" (first edition) with Ed Wynn "the perfect fool" and the exact original production and company which helped to make new records both at the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York, all last summer and quite recently at the Illinois Theatre, Chicago, to the Faurot on Saturday, May 7th.

Ed kept his Carnival on the road last season for four months before he whipped it into shape for its Metropolitan premiere and then to make doubly sure that everything would be "sure fire" he called in that wizard of production and stagecraft, Ned Wayburn (he of Ziegfeld "Follies" fame) and between them turned out a unique entertainment so different that the critics raved about it all during the long New York engagement. And then quite recently, too, "the windy city" was visited at the Illinois Theatre for three months and again, the "Ed Wynn Carnival" was a sensational triumph and now, after brief engagement in a few other cities Lima is to be favored with this engagement.

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long time, for I'm now in my sixty-eighth year.

"I remember when I was a child I was kept on a strict diet of lime water and milk for weeks and I have been in constant distress all these years. I suffered terribly from bloating and had to be very careful of what I ate. I became so weak and nervous I could hardly go about my housework and was in a miserable condition.

"About two years ago my husband got such splendid results from Tanlac he insisted on my taking it and the medicine wasn't but a little while in ridding me of my troubles. It gave me a splendid appetite and I could enjoy a good hearty meal, even things I hadn't dared touch before, without any fear of it troubling me.

"Then I had the influenza and became dreadfully sick and weak, but my stomach kept in good order and it only took four bottles of Tanlac to build me up again to where I'm now feeling better than at any time I can remember. I have gained eleven pounds in weight, too, and words can't express the gratitude I feel toward Tanlac. I keep Tanlac in the house all the time now, for I know it is a medicine that can be depended upon."

show will be presented, in addition to the feature film.

This fashion show will be staged under the direction of Lima's most progressive ready-to-wear store. The models will be local girls and it is the intention of the management to give to some lady in the audience, free of charge, her choice of the

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dress worn by the models. This will occur at 8 o'clock on Monday afternoon. The show will be given three times daily.

THEATRE DIRECTORY

AT THE LYRIC

Anne Q. Nilsson heads the cast in "What Women Will Do" appearing today at the Lyric theatre.

AT THE SIGMA

Final times today, "Skirts" a six reel comedy with the famous Singer Midgets and Clyde Cook. Also J. Allen Grubb, local soloist, in a series of vocal selections.

AT THE FAUROT

Thomas Meighan is starred in "The Frontier of the Stars" appearing today and Thursday at the Faurot Opera House.

AT THE MAJESTIC

Charles Ray is starred in "The Egg Crate Wallop," the feature attraction today at the Majestic theatre.

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BEAUTY IN MOVIES



Mrs. Lydia Hoyt

NEW YORK — (Special) — The beauty of Mrs. Lydia Hoyt, who has been said to possess more of that quality than any woman in America, is no longer to be familiar only to the socially elect of New York and Newport.

The famous beauty is soon to be pictured upon the screen. Mrs. Hoyt is going into the movies where millions will have an opportunity to admire her classic features.

Mrs. Hoyt's beauty has won her world-wide fame. She recently won a newspaper contest, being voted the handsomest woman in America. She is the second member of society to enter the moving picture industry. Mrs. Morgan Belmont made her debut as motion picture actress last year.

"Wonderful Thing," to be produced by Joseph M. Schenck, starring Norma Talmadge, his wife, is due to David Warfield Griffith several months ago that she wished to enter the moving pictures.

Julia Hoyt, as the young society woman will be known in the motion pictures.

SUMMER RESORTS NOW CALLING TO SEEKERS OF REST

(By ROSEMARY CHRISTEN)

ALTHOUGH it is only the latter part of April, many Lima people are "taking time by the forelock" and are now making delightful plans for the hot, summer months.

There are so many lovely summer resorts where one can enjoy the summer months that sometimes it is most difficult to decide upon one certain place.

Perhaps some of the most popular and beautiful summer places are found at Cape Cod, Mass. Because of the beautiful surroundings and scenery, these resorts have become a great gathering place for artists, each year outdoing the previous in the number who devote the entire summer months there.

Among the Lima people who are now contemplating enjoying at least a part of the summer months there are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Judge and Mrs. Phil Crow, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Larsen and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Baker.

There was springtime in the air Tuesday evening when the Woman's Music club chorus gave an excellent recital at Memorial Hall.

Mrs. Millie Sonntag Ufer certainly must have been gratified by the work of the chorus which she directed with earnest endeavor thru the past winter and which responded to her slightest direction with precision. Miss Nellie Krlete, who plays in such a perfect way and inspires confidence in both tender and sluggish, accompanied on the piano.

The first numbers were a great treat to the splendid audience. The serious "Turn Not From Me" by Bononcini being followed by Durst's dainty "Dance Little Maid."

Following these came three soprano solos by one of Van Weit's best vocalists, Miss Hazel Gleason, who sang a most unusual group. Grieg's "First Meeting" "The Night Wind" by Farley was new to everyone. "The Bitterness of Love" by Dunn was a lovely number to which rounds of applause were given. Miss Gleason was compelled to respond with a joyous spring song.

"After a Dream" by Faure was a very beautiful arrangement. Another of Dunn's compositions arranged around the popular old English song "It Was a Lover and His Lass" was very delightful.

One of the features of the evening was the great treat of having one of the club's former members, Mrs. Gail Watson Cable Canton, who played for the club for the first time since her period of study some time ago, under one of the world's masters of the violin, Acer, in St. Petersburg, Russia.

She played Kreisler's "The Old refrain," which was followed by one number filled with a bewitching rhythm, "The Swing Song," by Barnes, closing her group by playing a selection by a new American composer, Samuel Gardner. To rounds of applause Mrs. Cable gave the much loved "Ave Maria" by Schubert.

The great prize winner that has been produced publicly only twice before was by Richard Gaines and certainly was a study of the people of all Russia, the title being "Fantasy on a Russian Folk Song" Mrs. Cable accompanying on the violin, the ensemble was most inspiring, deserving repetition many times, as it is of high educational value.

65,000 GIRLS DISAPPEAR IN YEAR

WASHINGTON — (By United Press) — Sixty-five thousand girls disappeared in the United States last year without leaving a trace. The great majority were lured to the big cities from the small towns and farms. They have dropped from sight and their fate is unsolved mystery.

This story was brought to the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Association's convention here today with a plea for the creation of a central bureau to help find missing girls. Lieut. Catherine Van Winkle, of the District of Columbia police department, told the convention one of the biggest needs of the country was to save the army of girls who annually are lost in maelstroms of big cities. Police departments and civic associations are unable to cope with the situation successfully, she said.

She asked the convention to take immediate steps to create a central bureau and auxiliary bureaus in all parts of the country for the purpose of co-ordinating and enlarging the facilities for tracing lost girls.

Plans were being made to ask the convention to launch a vigorous campaign against "loose morals." Mrs. Ward Morgan and Mrs. William Ullmann, of the Missouri State organization, were prepared to introduce resolutions demanding abolition of checking corsets by school girls and older women while attending dances. The knee length dress. Diaphanous attire. Rouge. Suggestive dances. Objectionable movies.

SOCIAL EVENTS

WEDNESDAY

Armistice Club, Mrs. W. H. Stickell.

Carnation Club, Mrs. F. R. Siglin.

Cotta Circle of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. Edward Holm, afternoon.

Delphian Club, Mrs. Kirk B. O'Ferrall.

Sigma Kappa sorority, Miss Pauline Hambrick.

THURSDAY

U. S. Club, Mrs. R. D. Chamberlain, evening.

Social and Literary Club, Mrs. W. F. Kinzer.

Amistad Bridge Club, 1 o'clock luncheon, Mrs. Harry Workman.

Missionary Union to hold an open meeting at Trinity M. E. Church, board meeting called at 1 o'clock; open meeting at 2 o'clock.

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A well-filled audience room was very encouraging to the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Lima Presbytery which convened at Market-st Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon. At the opening there were 20 of the 24 societies in this Presbytery represented and over 100 delegates present from both the Women's and Young People's organizations.

The president, Mrs. Hughson Bluffton, opened the meeting. Mr. Samuel Huoer led in the devotions. The regular business of the various departments followed reports of the auxiliary delegates being given.

At 5:30 o'clock a banquet was given by the members of the societies for a May Day party to be held in Castle Hall, Friday, April 29. Euchre and bridge will be enjoyed in the afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock. The evening program will begin at 8 o'clock. Cards will again be presented as diversion. Proceeds from the affair will be used in philanthropic work.

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She whirled into Thompson's lane and, in the doorway, threw herself from her horse almost into the arms of the big ranchman who stared at her in surprise. "Must be somethin' busted loose in the hills, that folks is all takin' to th' open!" he exclaimed.

"Where's Lightning?" cried the girl. "Quick! I want him!" "Lightning?" repeated Thompson. "Why, Lightning's gone—Vil Holland come along an hour or so ago, s' rode him to town. Turned back into the corral yonder—he was rode down almost as bad as youn'"

Patty's brain reeled dizzily as from a blow. Lightning gone! Her slim chance of saving her mine had vanished in a breath. She felt suddenly weak and sick, and leaning against her saddle for support, she closed her eyes and buried her face in her arm.

"What's the matter, Miss? Somethin' wrong?"

The girl laughed, a dry, hard laugh, and raising her hand, looked into the man's face. "Oh, no!" she said. "Nothing's wrong—nothing except that I've lost my father's claim—lost it because I relied on your horse to carry me into town in time to file ahead of him."

"Lost your pa's claim?" cried Thompson. "What do you mean—lost? That devil dared to show his face after the horse raid?" He paused suddenly and smiled. "Now you go worryin' about that here claim. Vil Holland's on the job. I know'd there was soothin' in the wind when he come a-larruppin' in here an' jerked his hat offen' back an' throwed it on Lightning without hardly a word. Vil, he'll head him! An' when he does, Bethune'll be lucky if he lives long enough to git hung!"

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panned that he showed signs of hard riding, and that the inevitable jug hung motionless from the saddle horn. Her lips stiffened, and her hand tightened on the bridle reins as she forced her eyes to the front. Farther on she could see the little white-painted frame office of the register.

Opposite the register's office she pulled up, and gazed in fascination at the open door. Then deliberately she raised her horse to the sidewalk and dismounted.

The register shoved his black skull-cap a trifle back upon his shiny head, adjusted his thick eyeglasses, and smiled into the face of the girl. "Things must be looking up out in the hills," he hazarded. "You're the second one today and it ain't noon yet."

"I presume Mr. Holland has been here."

"Yea, Vil come in. I guess he's around somewhere. He—"

"Relinquished our claim and filed another?"

"That's just what he done."

Patty nodded wearily. She was gamely trying to appear disinterested.

"Did you want to file?" asked the man, whirling a large book about and pushing it toward her. "Just enter your description there, an' fill out the application for a patent an' file your field notes and plat."

The girl's glance strayed listlessly over the adjoining page, her eyes mechanically taking in the words. Suddenly, she became intensely alert. She leaned over the book and reread with feverish interest the written description. The location was filed in Vil Holland's name, but the description was not of her claim!

"Where—where is this claim?" she gasped.

The old register turned the book and very deliberately proceeded to read the description. In her nervous excitement Patty felt that she must scream, and her fingers clutched the counter until the knuckles whitened. Finally the man looked up. "That must be somewhere over there. Too bad we won't be seeing him much more." He swung the book back, and as the import of his words dawned upon the girl she leaned weakly against the counter.

"Ain't you feeling well?" asked the old man, eying her with concern.

Without hearing him Patty picked up the pen, and as she wrote, her hand trembled so that she could scarcely form the letters. At last it was done, and the register once again swung the book and read the freshly penned words.

"Well, I'll be darned!" he exclaimed when he had finished.

The blood had rushed back into the girl's face and she was regarding him with shining eyes. "What do you mean? Tell me!"

"Mean just what I said—here's the entry."

"Vil—Holland—just—relinquished," she repeated in a dazed voice.

"When did he file it?"

"I don't recollect—it was back in the winter, or spring." The man began to turn the pages slowly backward. "Here it is, March, the thirteenth."

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Seven events have been scheduled as follows:

Five mile race for professional riders.

Two mile sidecar race for Ohio state championship.

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Consolation race for losers in the two five mile

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Ten mile race for professionals.

Added attraction: One mile race for bicycles equipped with Johnson motor wheels.

Close to \$1,000 will be awarded winners, which will compose the largest stakes ever offered in motorcycle races heretofore.

No other races are to be held in Ohio on the date

chosen by the Lima Motorcycle Club, which will be a big factor in bringing to Lima some of the most sensational dirt track riders.

Both the Indian Motorcycle Co. and the Harley-Davidson Co. will send a number of race machines here with notable riders to compete in the various events.

Charley Rousculp, Indian dealer and proprietor of the Lima Cycle company, W. High-st, who is managing the race for the motorcycle club, is endeavoring to

make the Decoration Day races this year a sporting event that will forever occupy a conspicuous place in the annals of local sportdom.

The local state militia will police the grounds, and a corps of riders on Indian scouts will patrol the track.

State wide interest is being created in the races, and riders from all parts of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Pennsylvania will be here for the events.

State motorcycle officials will rule the races and judge each event.

The first race will start at 2:30.

NEW YORK YANKS GET RAZZED FOR MAKING POOR SHOW

(By HENRY L. FARRELL)

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK—The Yanks are beginning to get razzed on the Polo Grounds.

Miller Huggins has perhaps the biggest combination of talent in the major leagues, but it lacks that class essential for a championship club.

Yesterday's game gives a good illustration of that thing known as class. The Yanks proceeded to get four runs in the first three innings against Washington, but they blew a lead that would win for any real ball club and dropped the game.

On the other hand, Cleveland let the Detroit Tigers get off to a four-run lead, but Speaker used 23 players and finally won the game.

Speaker does not underestimate his opposition and believes that a game is a game. The Yanks go along apparently thinking that there is plenty of time yet to get started.

Monday afternoon the Yanks were invincible for seven innings. Carl Mays didn't allow a hit in that time. Then the whole works blew and Washington won the game.

BOWLERS HIT FAST PACE IN MEET

PLAYERS ARE DESERTING JUSTICE

CHICAGO.—District Attorney George Gorman went to bat today to prevent the alleged gamblers and former Chicago White Sox ball players indicted for conspiracy to throw the 1919 world series from slipping out of the country to escape trial.

According to Gorman, Sport Sullivan, Abe Attell, and Rachel Brown are now in Canada. Bill Burns, whose statements caused the sweeping investigation of baseball, is said to be in Mexico.

Ban Johnson is reported headed for Washington to ask the federal government to prevent others from escaping.

Eight have given bonds.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

YESTERDAY'S HERO.—Sam Rice, the fleet-footed Washington outfielder knocked a Homer, beating the Yanks 5 to 4. The Randolph failed to get one, but Schang did.

Dick Kerr rose to the clouds in the third inning and forced in the two runs that gave the Browns a 3 to 1 victory over the Sox.

Batting as a pinch hitter in the fifth inning, Leoreanian knocked in three runs with a triple, but the Indians lost to the Braves 9 to 6.

Perkins singled in the ninth, with the bases full and the Athletics beat the Red Sox 2 to 1.

This Speaker had to use 23 players, but the Indians overcome a six-run lead and beat the Tigers 9 to 8.

Cuba Lopez led on the Cubs and the Reds won 5 to 3.

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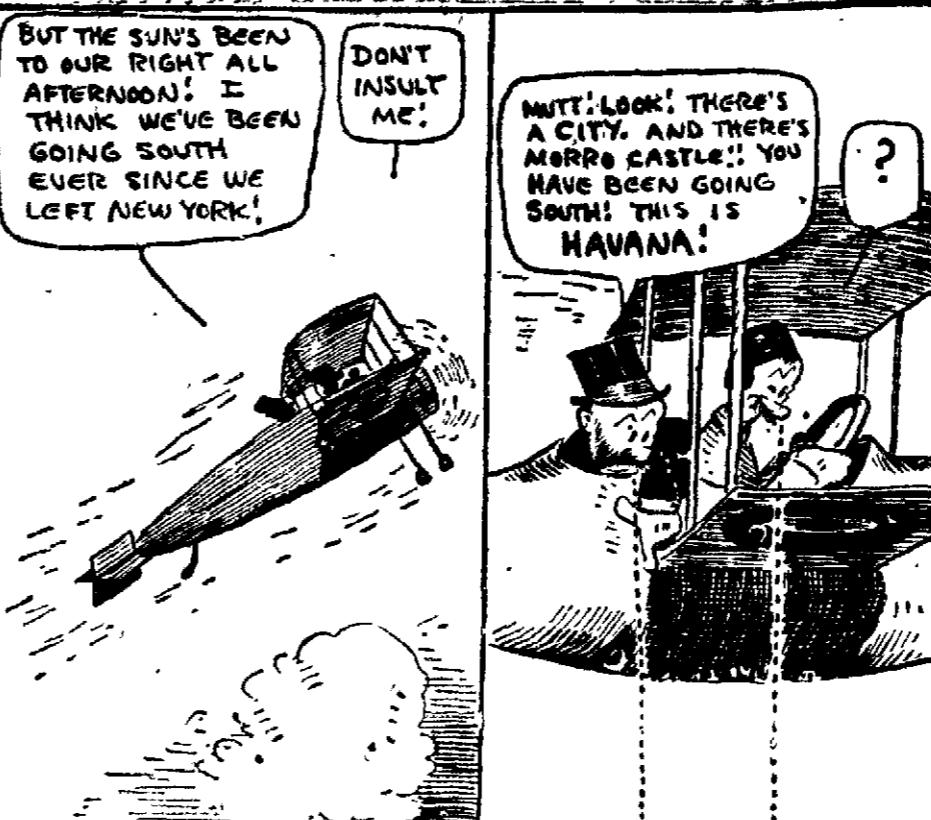
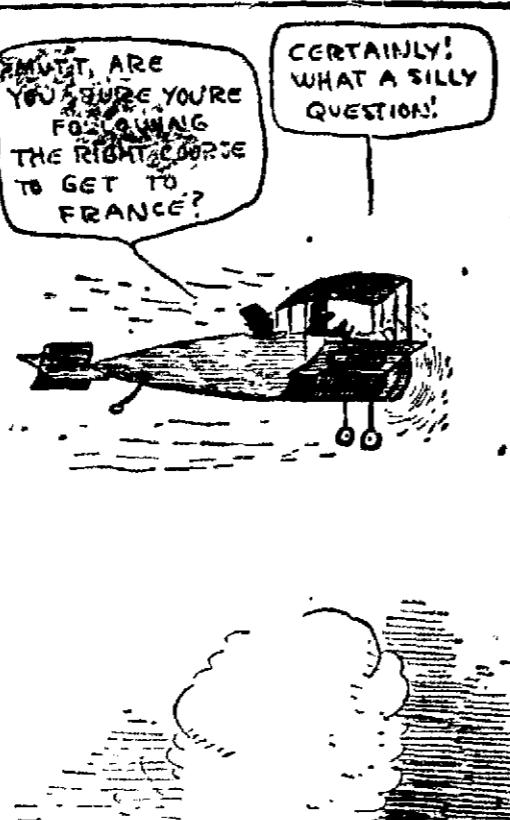
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